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For:	METHODS OF TREATING PATIENTS SUFFERING FROM RESTLESS LEGS SYNDROME OR RELATED DISORDERS	) : ) :	February 3, 2005			

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Sir:

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### CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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